IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Gregory H. Altman

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For: IMMUNONEUTRAL SILK-FIBER-BASED MEDICAL DEVICES

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 8, 2008, Applicants submit herewith the following Amendment:

Listing of the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. 1.131 by Gregory H. Altman, Ph.D is attached.

Exhibits A – B are attached.

Second Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. 1.132 by David Kaplan, Ph.D is attached.